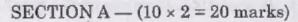
NOVEMBER/DECEMBER 2023

23PEN11 — POETRY

Time: Three hours

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Maximum: 75 marks



Answer ALL the questions.



What are the Pardoner's vices?

- 2. What are some specific items of clothing or accessories that the Nun wears?
- 3. Why does Donne forbid his beloved to mourn?
- 4. What does Donne mean by sublunary lovers?
- 5. How does Adam react when he learns about Eve's transgression?
- 6. What is Eve's initial reaction to Satan's temptation?
- 7. What does the phrase "ye antique tow'rs" refer to in "Ode on a Distant Prospect'?
- 8. Where is "Windsor's heights" mentioned in "Ode on a Distant Prospect"?

- 9. Who according to Owen 'die as cattle?
- 10. What are the 'hasty orisons' referred to in "Anthem for Doomed Youth"?

SECTION B — $(5 \times 5 = 25 \text{ marks})$

Answer ALL the questions.

11. (a) How does Chaucer present the Nun?

Or

- (b) What is the Friar's attitude toward the poor and the use of his power?
- 12. (a) What is the paradox in the title of the poem "The Canonization"?

Or

- (b) Explain the compass imagery in Donne's "Valediction".
- 13. (a) How does Satan deceive Eve in Book IX?

Or

- (b) How does Milton portray the consequences of disobedience in Book IX?
- 14. (a) What is the significance of the line, "Ah, tell them they are men!" in "Ode on a Distant Prospect"?

Or

- (b) What is the speaker's emotional connection to the natural surroundings described in the poem "Ode on a Distant Prospect"?
- 15. (a) How does 'The Soldier' express a connection between the speaker's death and England?

Or

(b) Analyse the poem "Digging".

SECTION C — $(3 \times 10 = 30 \text{ marks})$

Answer any THREE questions.

- 16. Explain the significance of the doctor's philosophical belief about gold and money.
- 17. List and explain the symbols used in Spenser's "Epithalamion".
- 18. Explain how the carpe diem theme is expressed in Andrew Marvell's "To His Coy Mistress."
- 19. Discuss "Absalom and Achitophel" as a satire.
- 20. Bring out the evolution of thoughts in "Hawk Roosting".